THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE AND DEPTT. OF DEFENCE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT) (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) and (b) Seminar organised on 14-15 September, 1995 by the Army in collaboration with Confederation of Indian Industry culminated in adoption of resolutions relating to 'review of Procedures and Need for Change', 'Quality Assurance and Self Certification', 'Sharing Human Resources', 'Globalisation of Indian Defence Industry' and 'Technology Development'. Only in the case of non war like stores including product support Private Industry is increasing its range of goods to serve defence needs. Question of any compromise in maintaining secrecy does not arise.

Government Flats Occupied by Publicmen

439. SHRI MOHAMMED AFZAL Alias MEEM AFZAL: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of bungalows/flats from Central Pool in New Delhi/Delhi allotted or occupied by VIPs and the families of the deceased V.I.P. and other politicians and social workers as on 31st March, 1995; since when each of them in occupying and how many of them are unauthorised occupants;

(b) the amount of arrears of rent/ damage if any, due from each of the persons as on 31st March, 1995;

(c) the steps taken by Government to get the premises vacated and arrears recovered;

(d) whether any stay orders have been issued by courts in favour of such persons; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI R. K. DHAWAN): (a) to (e) A question on the same lines was answered in the Rajya Sabha on 23.12.94, being Starred Question No. 251. However, upto-date information is being compiled and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Crash of MIG-27 aircraft

440. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN:
SHRI VIREN J. SHAH :
SHRI O.P. KOHLI:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the Air Force MIG-27 aircraft crash which took place on the 18th September, 1995;

(b) whether any enquiry into the causes of the aircrash has been made and if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether flying in the Hindon area has been identified as "high risk bird areas" in the country by an interministerial committee set up in early 1990, and if so, what are the recommendations of the committee and what action has been taken on each recommendation; and

(d) what preventive and remedial steps Government have so far taken to avoid such aircrash caused by vultures hitting the aircrafts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE AND DEPTT. OF DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT) (SHRI MALLIKARJUN) : (a) and (b) A MIG-27 aircraft crashed 4 Kms away from the Hindon airfield on 18th September, 1995. The pilot ejected safely. Investigations revealed that the aircraft had a bird hit resulting in engine